

I believe we should have the ability to choose a la carte channels. The cost of cable has risen at a rate much faster than most other consumer goods.

Cable can be a wonderful educational tool for adults and children alike. Channels such as Discovery, TLC, National Geographic etc. help us understand more about the environment, our households, and our world in general. I do not watch channels such as MTV, VH1, Court Tv etc. I am forced to pay for them and subsidize them as a consumer.

Please change the way in which we may select what we watch and what we pay for. I can still order a car, build a home, order telephone service, or even a sandwich with the options that I WANT. Why should Cable TV be any different? I am tired of being forced to pay for items I do not use. What would happen if groceries sold beef roast only in a bag with potatoes, carrots, and onions? You would have to pay more just to get the beef.

Cable Television is no different.

Thank you for your concern in an important matter.